

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

PATRICIA BRAUN,

Plaintiff,

vs.

KARLENE NAVARRE, KENNEWICK
HOUSING AUTHORITY,

Defendants.

NO. CV-12-5073-LRS

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

On June 14, 2012, the Court granted Plaintiff Patricia Braun leave to amend her complaint, which did not comply with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, on or before July 16, 2012. Plaintiff's complaint did not state how the district court possessed jurisdiction and generally failed to meet the pleading requirements of Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 8 and 9 in other respects. Plaintiff has since filed a timely amended complaint, totally 44 pages, with numerous exhibits (ECF No. 6). Plaintiff, in the Amended Complaint, indicates jurisdiction is based on violations of the Fair Housing Authority Act, and the Civil Rights Act of 1968. Further, Plaintiff alleges that Defendant Kennewick Housing Authority is a Public Housing Unit.

The Court is mindful that the Plaintiff is proceeding *pro se* and

1 that her submissions should be held to less stringent standards than
2 formal pleadings drafted by lawyers. However, the Plaintiff's claims
3 fail under the "plain" statement requirement of Rule 8(a)(2). The
4 Court, in its Order to Amend Complaint (ECF No. 5) directed Plaintiff
5 to include a short and plain statement of the claim(s) in numbered
6 paragraphs, each of which shall be limited as far as practicable to a
7 single set of circumstances. Thus the defects of Plaintiff's
8 complaint remain uncured. Accordingly, for the reasons stated above,
9 the complaint, and the subsequent amendment filed by Plaintiff, are
10 dismissed without prejudice. Accordingly,

11 **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The District Court Executive is directed to
12 enter this Order, forward a copy to *pro se* plaintiff, enter judgment
13 consistent with this order, and close the file.

14 **DATED** this 27th day of August, 2012.

15 */s/ Lonny R. Suko*

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LONNY R. SUKO
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE